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Date: 6/13/2013 2:55:23 PM

Subject: RE: Portage Creek Data

Attachments: [Grid Data as of 6132013.xlsx](#)

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Everyone - Attached is the latest spreadsheet with the grid data for Portage Creek as of today. Please understand this is a living document and we are always confirming sample result data with Data validation reports. All depths are correct. Call or write with any questions.

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**From:** Thomas, Craig  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 13, 2013 11:50 AM  
**To:** Saric, James  
**Cc:** Canar, John; Ruesch, Paul; Maguire, Andrew; jcanar@uic.edu  
**Subject:** Re: Portage Creek Data

Sure. Paul Ruesch will be sending that out sometime today. (Kzoo got hit by those storms last night, we don't have power and MiFi battery died a little bit ago, so I can't send anything, unless its already on my blackberry)

Paul, send the spreadsheet to jim, john, linda, andy, and me.

Thanks!

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**From:** Saric, James  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 13, 2013 11:42:43 AM  
**To:** Thomas, Craig  
**Cc:** Canar, John; Ruesch, Paul; Maguire, Andrew; [jcanar@uic.edu](mailto:jcanar@uic.edu)  
**Subject:** RE: Portage Creek Data

I'll need that spreadsheet you indicated earlier.

Jim

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**From:** Thomas, Craig  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 13, 2013 11:42 AM  
**To:** Saric, James  
**Cc:** Canar, John; Ruesch, Paul; Maguire, Andrew; [jcanar@uic.edu](mailto:jcanar@uic.edu)  
**Subject:** Re: Portage Creek Data

Cool. Let me know if you need anything else.

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**From:** Saric, James  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 13, 2013 11:40:18 AM  
**To:** Thomas, Craig  
**Cc:** Canar, John; Ruesch, Paul; Maguire, Andrew; [jcanar@uic.edu](mailto:jcanar@uic.edu)  
**Subject:** RE: Portage Creek Data

Thanks Craig. I forwarded this information to Cynthia.

Jim

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**From:** Thomas, Craig  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 13, 2013 11:39 AM  
**To:** Saric, James  
**Cc:** Canar, John; Ruesch, Paul; Maguire, Andrew; [jcanar@uic.edu](mailto:jcanar@uic.edu)  
**Subject:** Re: Portage Creek Data

Jim,

All of our plans, our overall work plan, tech memos thru SA3 (ie mini work plans with site figures etc), Qapp, Field sampling plan, polreps which explain all our activities, etc are available on our Portage Creek Area website at [epaossc.org](http://epaossc.org).

All of that is Public information, so you could just give GP the url for the website and they could download it themselves.

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**From:** Saric, James  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 13, 2013 11:15:36 AM  
**To:** Thomas, Craig  
**Cc:** Canar, John; Ruesch, Paul; Maguire, Andrew; Canar, John; [jcanar@uic.edu](mailto:jcanar@uic.edu)  
**Subject:** RE: Portage Creek Data

Craig,

I think this will be helpful to GP. However, I also think GP has no idea and has no maps of the grids, slope areas, etc. So they need maps, write-ups, etc. that will explain the various areas, and have maps that they can use to explain the work that was completed as well as the post excavation results. So if there are specific electronic documents that have such information I need to get that to GP. You and FIELDS can forward it to me and I can forward it to GP. However, I just need to get this coordinated and to them by Monday.

Thanks  
Jim

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**From:** Thomas, Craig  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 13, 2013 11:03 AM  
**To:** Saric, James  
**Cc:** Canar, John; Ruesch, Paul; Maguire, Andrew  
**Subject:** Re: Portage Creek Data

Jim, I really don't know what's involved in your SWAC calculations, so if someone needs data from the Portage Creek TCRA, just let Paul, Andy or myself know what data is needed..

I talked to John Canar this morning, and based on that, we are providing a spreadsheet to FIELDS (Linda and John) with each grid number, our final excavation depths in each grid, and the total PCB concentration results from each grid.

In addition, we have electronic data deliverables for all our lab results which we provide to FIELDS in the next few days

If any of the above is incorrect, or if additional information is needed, let us know

Thanks

Craig

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**From:** Saric, James

**Sent:** Thursday, June 13, 2013 8:54:54 AM  
**To:** Thomas, Craig  
**Cc:** Canar, John  
**Subject:** FW: Portage Creek Data

Craig,

See what information that John has below. Seems like you guys should talk to determine who's maintaining the database, summarizing information , etc. I need to get everything together and have it sent to Georgia Pacific/AMEC by Monday 6/17.

Jim

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**From:** Canar, John  
**Sent:** Monday, June 10, 2013 4:54 PM  
**To:** Saric, James  
**Cc:** Roth, Charles  
**Subject:** RE: Portage Creek Data

Dear Jim,

I know we cobbled together data for Portage Creek from multiple sources (ARCADIS, MDEQ, and Weston). Can you check with Jeff Keiser to see if he has the complete Portage Creek database? We can give them what we have, but it may not be the "complete" dataset.

Did one of the OSCs get back to you on the cleanup levels established for each grid? It might be a fixed value for every grid, e.g., 0.33ppm.

As for SWAC calculations, these were done before the true extent of each Slope Area (SA) and grid were collected. Not sure we want to give them these values with the above caveat. However, that is your call.

We are in the office tomorrow, Tuesday, if you want to talk about this.

John  
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**From:** Saric, James  
**Sent:** Friday, May 31, 2013 11:10  
**To:** Roth, Charles; Canar, John; Thomas, Craig; Ruesch, Paul  
**Subject:** Portage Creek Data

Guys,

I was hoping you can help me out. Georgia-Pacific's new contractor (AMEC) is revising the Feasibility Study report for Area 1 of the Kalamazoo River which includes the Kalamazoo River from Morrow Dam to the Plainwell Dam and Portage Creek from Cork Street to the confluence of the Kalamazoo River. Since the Portage Creek Removal is included in the Feasibility Study, Cynthia Draper who is the primary contact for AMEC on this FS report, would like to get all of the latest sampling data and any maps generated from Portage Creek. They would also like to get any data and information on the Surface Weighted Average Concentration calculations. Essentially GP needs to be able to document the work that have been done to date, what will be done to complete the project, and the cleanup levels established in each grid and confirm the SWAC calculations. They need this information in the next couple weeks at the latest.

Can any of you help with this? Please reply all to this message so we don't duplicate effort.

Thanks

Jim